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Kristine Adams
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Federal Election Commission

RE: Request for Additional Information (August Monthly Report (7/1/04-7/31/03))

Dear Ms. Adams:

This letter is in response to your letter of October 15, 2004, requesting additional information about the Human Rights Campaign PAC August monthly report (7/1/04-7/31/04). In your letter, you identified two items in this report which needed additional information/clarification: a line 21(a) entry and clarification of "Communication Expenses".

Line 21(a) Entry

In the original report, a clerical error was made when we reported a \$3,000 expenditure on line 21(a)(ii). Our subsequent amended reports (on 10/20/04 and 10/27/04) have corrected this error.

"Communication Expenses"

The expenditures for "communication expenses" are salary expenditures for HRC staff who were expending time communicating with the public about HRC PAC's independent expenditure opposing the re-election of George W. Bush as President of the United States.

I hope this additional information answers your questions. If you have any further questions, please feel free to contact me directly at (202) 216-1532 or by writing to me at Human Rights Campaign, 1640 Rhode Island Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20036.

Sincerely,

Kevin Layton
General Counsel
Human Rights Campaign